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LOK SABHA

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Review of SBM-G
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Will the Minister of DRINKING WATER AND SANITATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has reviewed the progress made under SwachhBharat Mission-Gramin (SBM-G) after its completion of two years and if so, the Statewisedetails and outcome thereof includingKarnataka;
(b) the amount spent so far on the Mission and the status of work done in each State there under;
(c) whether the work of construction of toilets has been speeded up after the increase in financial assistance being provided by the Government for each toilets and if so, the details thereof; and
(d) the details of the monitoring mechanism put in place to ensure the success of the SBM-G and the extent to which it is working effectively?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DRINKING WATER & SANITATION
(SHRI RAMESH CHANDAPPA JIGAJINAGI)

(a) Ministry of Drinking Water and Sanitation regularly reviews the progress made under Swachh Bharat Mission (Gramin). Sanitation Coverage, which was 42.05% on 2.10.2014, has increased to 57.15% on 21.11.2016. Total1,19,745 Villages have been declared Open Defecation Free (ODF) as on 21-11-2016.Coverage in Karnataka was 41.35% as on 2.10.2014, which has been increased to 61.10% as on 21.11.2016.Detail of States/UTs including Karnataka is at Annexure-1.
(b) State/UT-wise, Central share spent and Individual Household Latrines (IHHL) constructed between 2.10.2014 and 21.11.2016 under Swachh Bharat Mission (Gramin) is at Annexure-2.

(c) Yes, Madam. Against the expected outcome of 50 lakh individual latrines for the year 2014-15, 58,54,987 latrines were constructed, which is an achievement of 117% of the target. During 2015-16, 127.41 lakh toilets have already been constructed against target of 120.00 lakh. For the year 2016-17, against the expected outcome of 1.5 crore individual latrines, 97,54,789 individual latrines (65.03%) have been constructed as on 21-11-2016.

(d) On-line monitoring has been strengthened and transparency increased in the implementation of the Programme of SBM(G) by making all the data including the names and addresses of the beneficiaries of Individual Household Latrines (IHHLs) available in the public domain / on-line monitoring system. A Mobile application for uploading photographs of toilets constructed after 2.10.2014 is being developed. A mobile application called Swachch also allows citizens to view the progress being made under SBM(G) in any part of the country right upto household level and also rate the cleanliness level of any village.Regular field visits are conducted by the official of the Ministry to get feedback.